

COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DIXON, ILLINOIS
COUNCIL CHAMBERS – CITY HALL
SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING
MONDAY, FEBRUARY 27, 2023
4:30 P.M.

CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Arellano at 4:30pm.

ROLL CALL

Councilman Oros, Venier, Bishop, Considine, and Mayor Arellano answered roll call.
Absent: None

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

The Pledge of Allegiance was cited. Councilman Venier blessed the proceedings.

VISITOR/PUBLIC COMMENT

None

APPROVAL OF AN AIRPORT LEASE FORBEARANCE AGREEMENT

Public Works Director/Assistant City Manager Heckman explained the request, discussion ensued. Councilman Bishop moved to approve the Airport Lease Forbearance Agreement with Clayton M. Breneman. Seconded by Councilman Venier. Voting Yea: Councilman Oros, Venier, Bishop, Considine, and Mayor Arellano. Voting Nay: None. **Motion Carried**

WORK SESSION

Public Works Director/Assistant City Manager Heckman opened the work session. Finance Director Fredericks presented on the following budgets: Council, Economic Development, Municipal, and Administration, discussion ensued throughout. IT Manager Philhower presented the IT budget, discussion ensued. Building Official Shipman presented the budgets of the Building and Zoning, Downtown Maintenance, and Veterans Park, discussion ensued throughout. Discussion ensued regarding the Administrative Hearing program.

Mayor Arellano presented his requests regarding marketing events, hotel motel tax, promotion, DCCMS, economic development -residential and commercial, LCIDA, community development plan, grants for community businesses, I-88 welcoming signage and beautification, S. Galena paving, annexation pathways/growth plan, conduit under Peoria bridge, committed money earmarked for projects should be invested to get ROI, and residential housing, discussion ensued throughout. Discussion ensued regarding the police cams and the topics of the next meeting.

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ADJOURMENT

Councilman Bishop moved that the Special Session on, Tuesday, February 27, 2023 be adjourned to meet in Special Session on Wednesday, March 1, 2023, at 4:00pm in the City Chambers at the City Hall. Seconded by Councilman Considine. Voting Yea: Councilman Oros, Venier, Bishop, Considine, and Mayor Arellano. Voting Nay: None. **Motion Carried**

The meeting adjourned at 6:24pm.

CITY CLERK